### Hypersonic Propulsion System Simulation Development



Hypersonic Combined Cycle Engine (CCE) Mode Transition Fundamental Aeronautics – Hypersonic Project





#### **HiTECC Simulation**

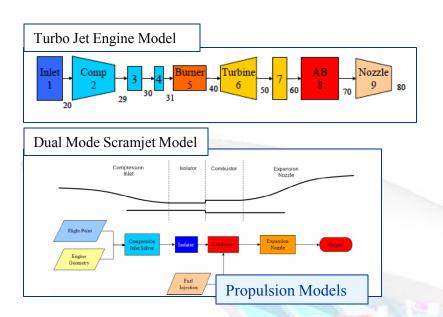
- **High Mach Transient Engine Cycle Code (HiTECC)**
- Simulation package initially developed by SPIRITECH Advanced Products, Inc.
- Developed under the Hypersonic Project, Guidance Navigation and Control (GN&C) task.
  - Develop tools and procedures for experimental data analysis, control design and evaluation
  - HiTECC used to design and evaluate candidate mode transition/shock position control algorithms

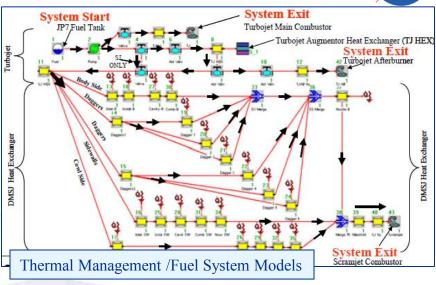


### **HiTECC Objectives**

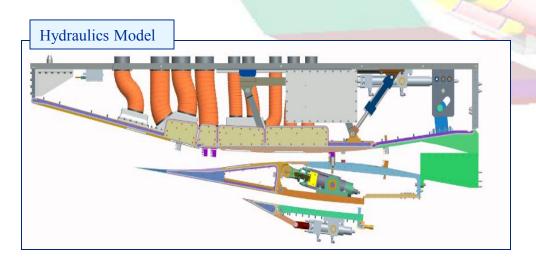
- Demonstrate all modes of operation of a turbine based combined cycle (TBCC) propulsion system
  - Afterburner, turbine engine, dual mode scram jet
  - Simulate the mode transition sequence of events
- Designed to be generic and modular
  - Inlet geometry is described using the MathWorks® SimScape<sup>TM</sup>
  - Can be used to convert CAD Drawing to Simulink® model file
  - Fast prototyping of inlet designs

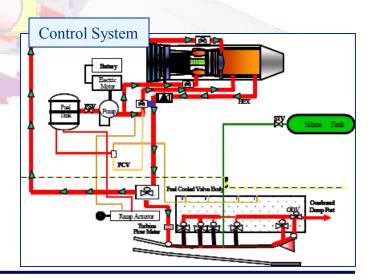




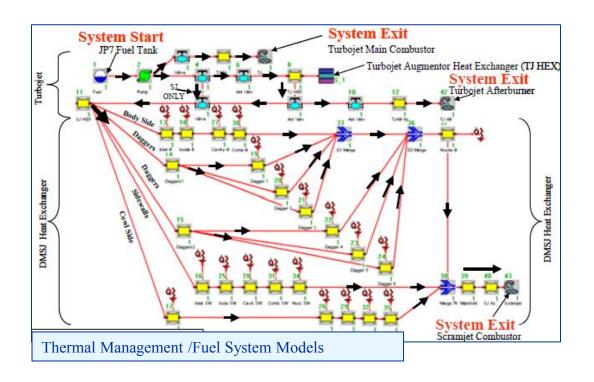


## High Mach Transient Engine Cycle Code (HiTECC)





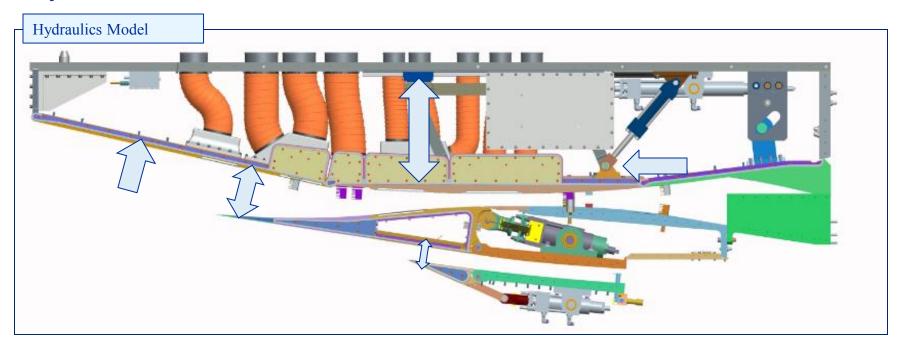




- •Simulates fuel flow, fluid energy, and thermal energy transfer for both the LSFP and HSFP
- •Couples a transient flow model and a transient thermal model
- •One-dimensional compressible flow solver allows a variety of fuels, including hydrogen, to be modeled



- •Simulates the kinematic features of the variable inlet and nozzle for both flow paths
- •Models the dynamic response of the hydraulic fluid
- •Models for the power storage and generation for pumping the hydraulic fluid



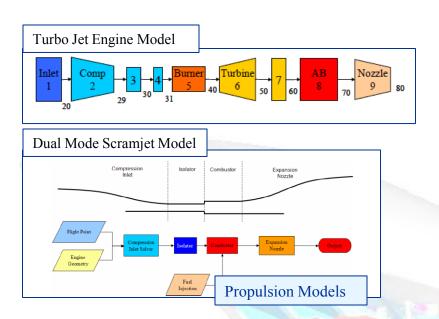


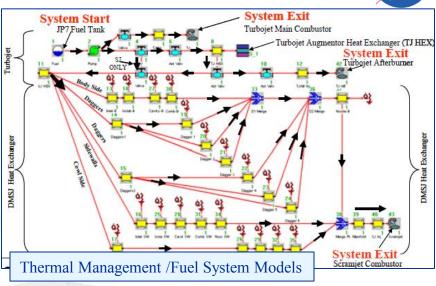
- Turbo Jet Engine Model
- Dual Mode Scramjet Model Combustor **Propulsion Models**

**Assume Started** Low-Speed and **High-Speed Inlets** (No external normal shocks)

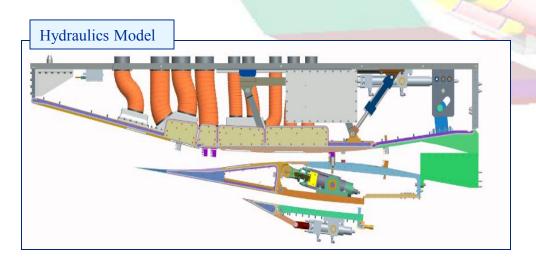
- Variable Inlet Model (P,T,W)
  - **External Compression** 
    - Inviscid thermally perfect oblique shock theory
  - Supersonic Internal
    - Thermally perfect 1-dimensional steady-state compressible flow
  - Subsonic Internal
    - Unsteady subsonic compression model (control volume)
- Gas Turbine Model
  - Simple 0-dimensional engine model
- **Dual Mode Scramjet** 
  - **Isolator** 
    - Quasi 1-dimensional compressible flow equations
  - Combustor
    - Quasi 1-dimensional combustor model
- Nozzles
  - A simplified, 1-dimensional nozzle model

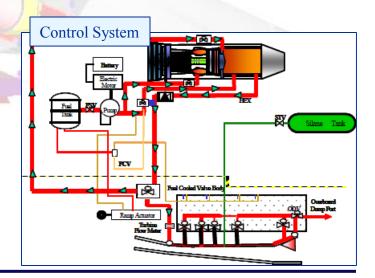






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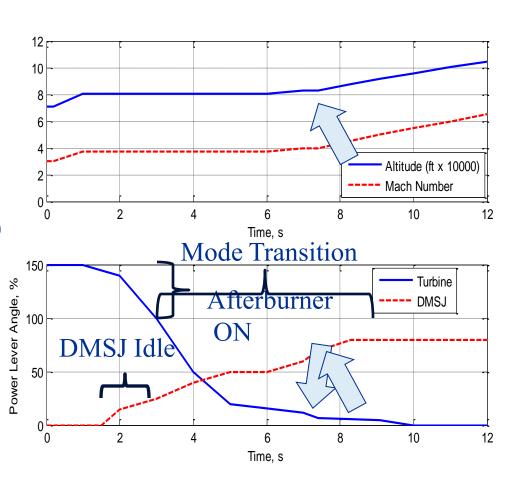






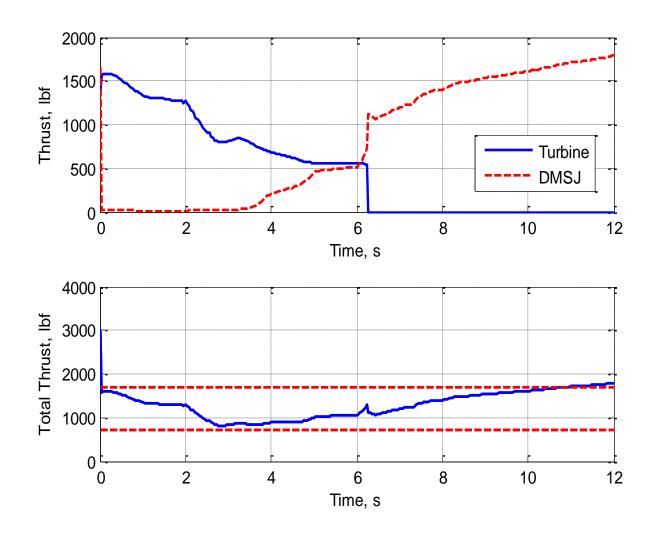
#### Mode Transition with HiTECC

- Mode transition occurs Mach 3.0 -4.0
- Mode transition sequence of events
  - Reach mode transition flight condition (M3.75)
  - Begin afterburner shutdown
  - Start DMSJ
  - Transition power
  - Close off LSFP/ shutdown turbine engine
  - Continue with mission



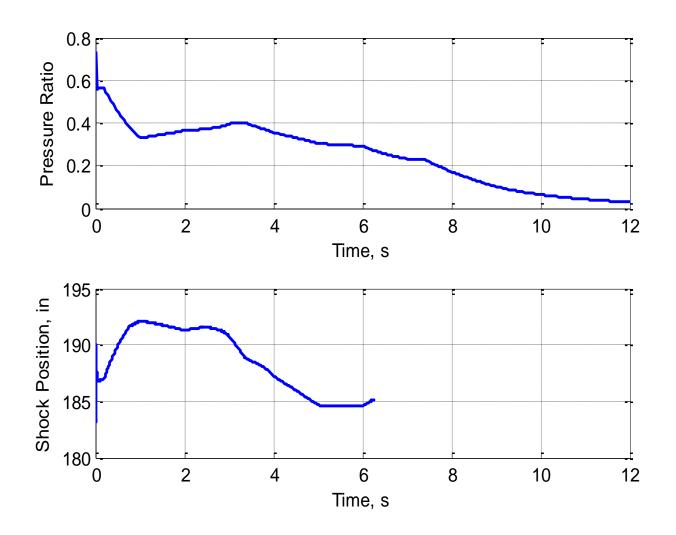


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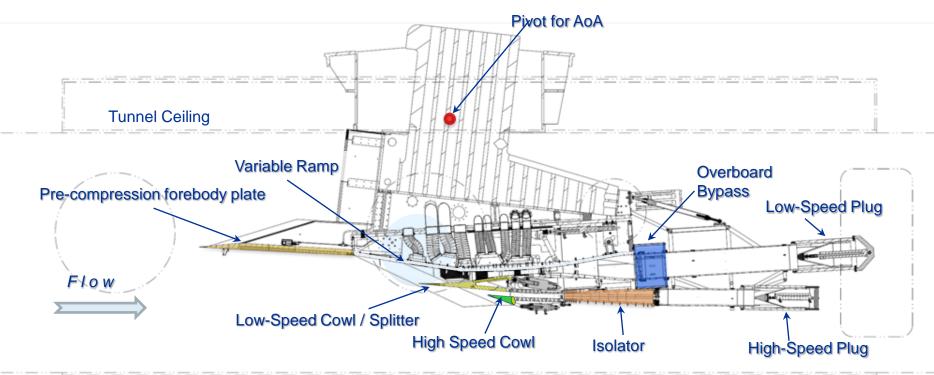


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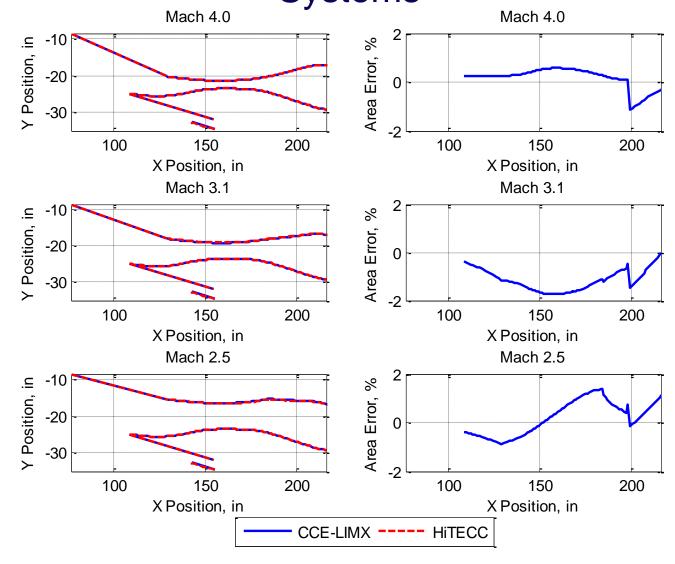
# Large-scale Inlet model for Combined Cycle **Engine Mode Transition Studies (CCE-LIMX)**



**Tunnel Floor** 

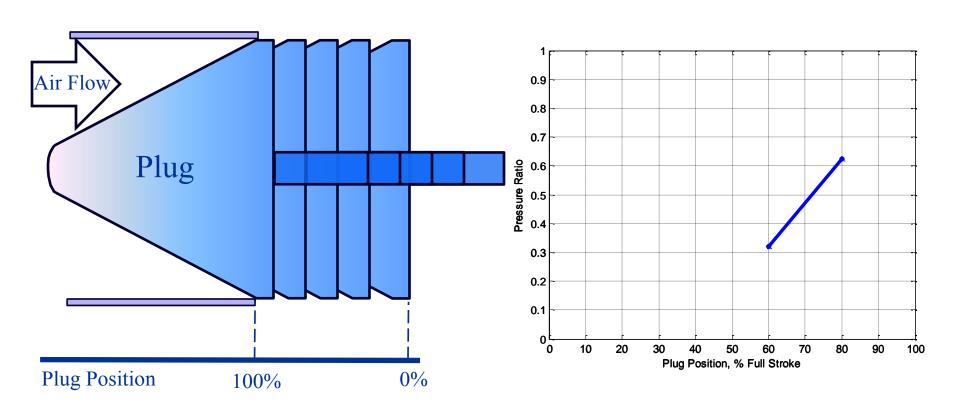


## Redesign Geometry, Actuators, and Control **Systems**



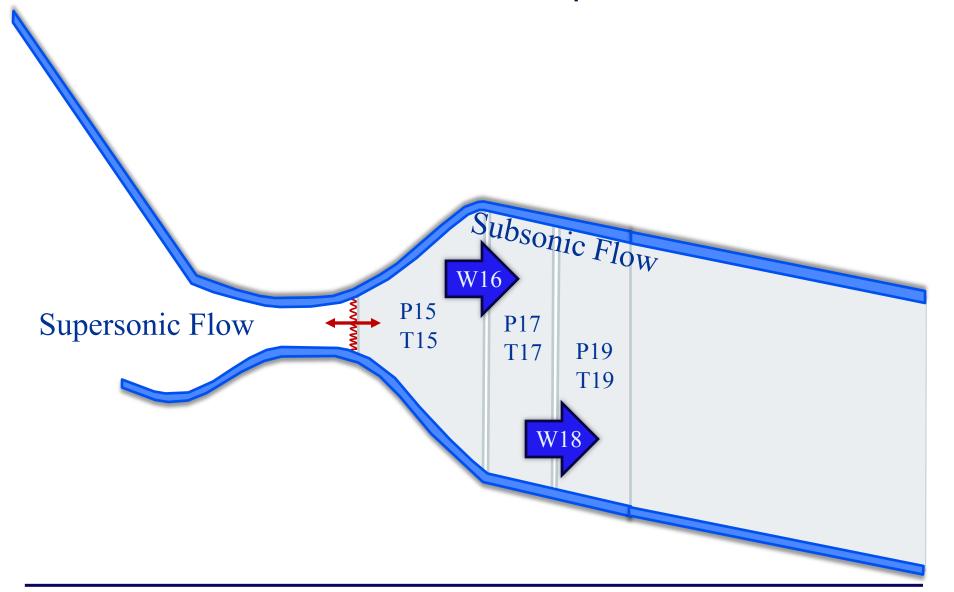


# Replacement of Turbine Engines with a Plug



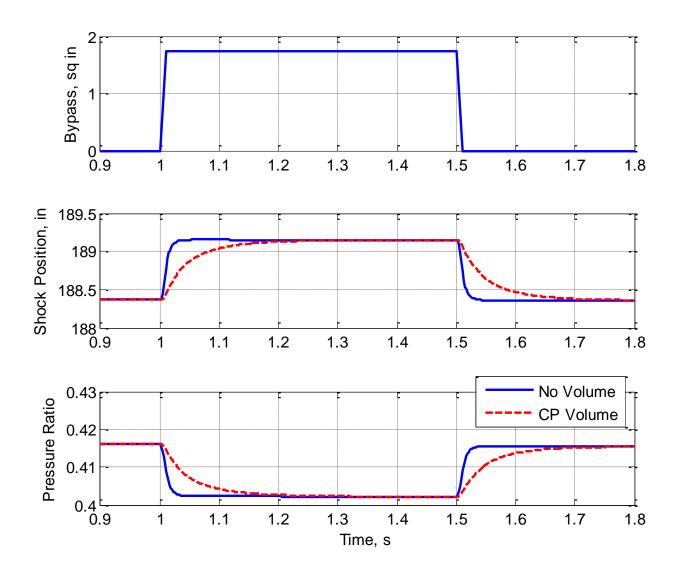


## Addition of the Cold Pipe Volume





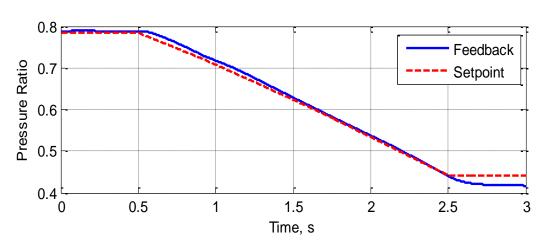
# Dynamic Response with Additional Volume

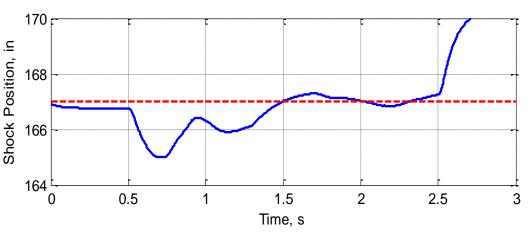




#### Mode Transition with the CCE-LIMX

- Pressure ratio setpoint is dependent on the splitter angle
- System is driven to starting pressure ratio by the plug







#### Future Work with HiTECC

- Develop linear models for diffuser (subsonic).
- Compare experimental data with HiTECC.
- Use HiTECC to develop and test candidate mode transition control algorithms before implementation.